

Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has agreed to the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 1833) to provide for the application of measures to foreign persons who transfer to Iran certain goods, services, or technology, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the House has passed the following bill, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 5. An act to amend title II of the Social Security Act to eliminate the earnings test for individuals who have attained retirement age.

#### ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

The message further announced that the Speaker has signed the following enrolled bill:

S. 613. An act to encourage Indian economic development, to provide for the disclosure of Indian tribal sovereign immunity in contracts involving Indian tribes, and for other purposes.

At 1:21 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the Speaker has signed the following enrolled bills:

H.R. 1883. An act to provide for the application of measures to foreign persons who transfer to Iran certain goods, services, or technology, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3557. An act to authorize the President to award a gold medal on behalf of the Congress to John Cardinal O'Connor, Archbishop of New York, in recognition of his accomplishments as a priest, a chaplain, and a humanitarian.

The enrolled bills were signed subsequently by the President pro tempore (Mr. THURMOND).

#### ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

The Secretary of the Senate reported that on today, March 2, 2000, he presented to the President of the United States, the following enrolled bill.

S. 613. An act to encourage Indian economic development, to provide for the disclosure of Indian tribal sovereign immunity in contracts involving Indian tribes, and for other purposes.

#### EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-7849. A communication from the Director, Statutory Import Programs Staff, Department of Commerce transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Changes in Watch, Watch Movement and Jewelry Program for the U.S. Insular Possessions" (RIN0625-AA55), received March 1, 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7850. A communication from the Chair, Medicare Payment Advisory Commission transmitting, pursuant to law, the "2000 Report to Congress: Medicare Payment Policy"; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-7851. A communication from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "2000 Automobile Inflation Adjustment" (Rev. Proc. 2000-18), received March 18, 2000; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-7852. A communication from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Office of Policy, Planning and Evaluation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Revisions to the Georgia State Implementation Plan" (FRL # 6547-4), received March 1, 2000; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7853. A communication from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Office of Policy, Planning and Evaluation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Optional Certification Streamlining Procedures for Light-Duty Vehicles, Light-Duty Trucks, and Heavy-Duty Engines for Original Equipment Manufacturers and for Aftermarket Conversion Manufacturers; Final Rule" (FRL # 6547-4), received March 1, 2000; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7854. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, the 2000 "International Narcotics Control Strategy Report"; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-7855. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, Presidential Determination 2000-16 regarding certification of the 26 major illicit drug producing and transit countries; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 577. A bill to provide for injunctive relief in Federal district court to enforce State laws relating to the interstate transportation of intoxicating liquor.

#### EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. ROTH for the Committee on Finance.

Larry L. Levitan, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board for a term of five years. (New Position)

Steve H. Nickles, of North Carolina, to be a Member of the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board for a term of four years. (New Position)

Robert M. Tobias, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board for a term of five years. (New Position)

Karen Hastie Williams, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board for a term of three years. (New Position)

George L. Farr, of Connecticut, to be a Member of the Internal Revenue Service

Oversight Board for a term of four years. (New Position)

Charles L. Kolbe, of Iowa, to be a Member of the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board for a term of three years. (New Position)

Nancy Killefer, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board for a term of five years. (New Position)

(The above nominations were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed subject to the nominees' commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.)

By Mr. HATCH for the Committee on the Judiciary.

Julio M. Fuentes, of New Jersey, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Third Circuit.

James D. Whittemore, of Florida, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Florida.

Randolph D. Moss, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

(The above nominations were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

#### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. SANTORUM:

S. 2138. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on 11-Aminoundecanoic acid; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. HUTCHINSON (for himself and Mr. ENZI):

S. 2139. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to exempt agricultural stormwater and silviculture operation discharges from the requirement for a permit under the pollutant discharge elimination system, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. GRAMS:

S. 2140. A bill to amend the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 to establish within the Department of State an Under Secretary of State for Security; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. BROWNBACK:

S. 2141. A bill to authorize the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (normal trade relations treatment) to the products of Georgia; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. LAUTENBERG:

S. 2142. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain bromine-containing compounds; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. LAUTENBERG:

S. 2143. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain fluoride compounds; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. LAUTENBERG:

S. 2144. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain fluorozirconium compounds; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. LAUTENBERG:

S. 2145. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain imaging chemicals; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CRAPO (for himself and Mr. CRAIG):

S. 2146. A bill to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to provide for temporary duty-free treatment for